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HONOUR OF THE PRESS.
Lord Chief Justice's Tribute to
Journalists.

The Lord Chief Justice has done what was expected of him, and done it in a manner at once graceful and dignified.

Lord Alverstone had reported, in the recent 'cardboard' boots case, as saying that journalists had not the same code of honour as other people.

This remark was the subject of discussion at the annual meeting of the London District of the Institute of Journalists on Dec. 10 when it was agreed courteously to ask the Lord Chief Justice for an explanation.

His lordship, on taking his seat on Dec. 13 in the King's Bench, said he could not understand what foundation there was for that report. All he now desired to say was that if any expression of his was capable of such a construction he should most absolutely and unreservedly withdraw it; and for this simple reason: that any such expression of opinion would be absolutely contrary to opinion he had expressed all through his public life, before he was on the bench and since—namely, that the public Press of this country was conducted by men of honour and in an honourable way. He was quite convinced that journalists did feel themselves bound by and did act on the same dictates of honour as other honourable people. Undoubtedly, in particular cases the conduct of journalists was to be criticised.

He had said anything, or was supposed to have said anything, contrary to the view he was then expressing, it was an entire mistake. No such idea ever entered into his mind. He mentioned this now because it was quite impossible for him to look at reports. He had not sufficient time to discharge his own duties properly, and could not enter into discussions whether a report was accurate or not. He only mentioned the matter because he had received a certain number of letters with regard to it.

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EUROPEAN MAIL.

DEP.	STEAMER.	DESTINATION.	MAIL DUE LONDON ABOUT.	DEU.
Jan. 24	M. M. Australien P. & O. Coronandel	Marselles London	Feb. 22 26	Feb. 22 March 4
Feb. 1	G. M. S. Bayern P. & O. Svala	Hamburg London	" 18 " 28	" 18 " 28
" 11	G. M. S. Zieten	Dresden	" 11	April 1
" 20	P. & O. Chuson	Dresden	" 15	" 25
" 21	G. M. S. Sachsen	Dresden	" 15	" 25
" 22	P. & O. Bongi	Hamburg	" 25	" 29
" 23	G. M. S. Prinzess Alice	Hamburg	" 25	" 29
" 26	P. & O. Nubia	London	" 25	" 29

CANADIAN MAIL.

DEP.	STEAMER.	DESTINATION.	DEU.
1905	C.P.R.	Vancouver.	1905
Jan. 25	Tartar	Feb. 18	
Feb. 8	do.	Mar. 1	
March 8	do.	April 8	
" 15	do.	May 10	
" 20	do.	May 29	
April 19	do.	May 31	
May 10	do.	June 17	
" 24	do.		

AMERICAN MAIL.

DEP.	STEAMER.	DESTINATION.	DEU.
1905	P.M.S.	San Francisco	1905
Jan. 24	Siberia	Feb. 21	
Feb. 3	do.	March 3	
" 17	do.	" 17	
" 28	do.	" 29	
March 11	do.	April 8	
April 19	do.	May 10	
May 10	do.	May 29	
April 4	do.	May 2	

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, at his SALES ROOMS, DUDDELL STREET,—

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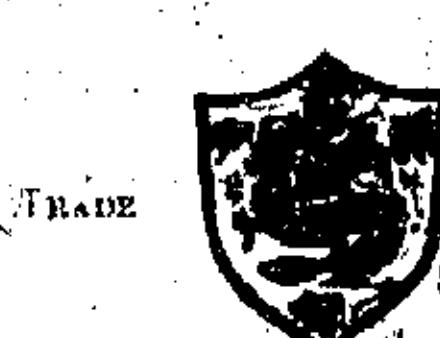
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SATURDAY, January 21.—
11 a.m.—Auction of Guiness's Stout, &c.,
at Mr Geo. P. Lammer's Sales Rooms,
9 p.m.—Performance of City Hall
Register of Shaved. The West Point
Building Co., Ltd., close from this date
to 30th January inclusive.Register of Shaves of The Hongkong Land
& Agency Co., Ltd., close from this date
to 30th January inclusive.Goods per S.S. not cleared at 4 p.m.
on this date subject to rent.MONDAY, January 23.—
3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Land at the
Public Works Department's Offices,
5 p.m.—Meeting of St. George's Ball at
City Hall.TUESDAY, January 24.—
Register of Shaves of The Kowloon Land
& Building Co., Ltd., close from this date
to 30th January inclusive.Goods per S.S. not cleared after this
date subject to rent.WEDNESDAY, January 25.—
10.30 a.m.—Military Gun Practice.
Noon—Auction of Steam Launch at the
Wardrobe Street Wharf.FRIDAY, January 27.—
8 p.m.—Oxford & Cambridge Dinner at
Hongkong Hotel.MONDAY, January 30.—
11.45 a.m.—Meeting of The West Point
Building Co., Ltd., at Company's Office.
Noon—Meeting of The Hongkong Land
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Prisoner Pleads Guilty.

Sentenced to Death.

Paguia, or Pagain, the Filipino, who is charged with the murder of a fellow compatriot, Apowan, on board the s.s. *Tremont*, on January 5, was placed in the dock at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

The Chief Justice, His Lordship Sir H. S. Berkeley, was on the bench.

The Attorney General, Mr E. H. Sharp, K.C., prosecuted, and accused was defended by Mr N. Ferrers. Owing to the difficulty of translating the evidence of the accused two interpreters were employed.

Mr Nolan translated from English into Spanish to Lazaro Bebit, who translated from the Spanish to the dialect understood by the accused, that is, *Carabao*.

When the charge was read out to the accused he replied: "It is true."

His Lordship (to the interpreter): Tell him he must plead not guilty, so that we may try him and see what amount of culpability attached to him.

The accused acquiesced, and the following jury was empanelled:—Messrs A. Bain, W. C. Logan, W. Goetz, L. A. Rose, G. P. Curry, G. Smith and R. S. Piercy.

Mr Sharp detailed the events surrounding the commission of the crime, and said that the accused was a native of the Philippines, and a member of the tribe of Garotis. He and a number of others had been to the St. Louis Exposition and were returning on board the s.s. *Tremont*. Whilst the vessel was in Hongkong harbour on January 5 a European quartermaster on duty heard yells coming from the Filipinos' quarters. On investigating he saw Apowan lying in his bunk, frightfully injured, being practically disembowelled. An alarm was raised and the accused was found to be missing. About the same time a Chinese watchman in a lighter alongside the *Tremont* saw a small boat with a strange tribe coming from the opposite side of the lighter. The watchman attempted to hide in various places on board, the lighter was prevented from doing so and ultimately impaled on board. Unfortunately the Chinese did not report the fact then, and thus allowed the man to escape. However, from subsequent information he was arrested the following day. Mr Sharp drew attention to the fact that three days before the murder a Filipino woman saw the accused steal or take a large knife from another of his compatriots. It was a very significant fact that the woman reported the occurrence to Bebit, the President of the tribe, who reported it to the American in charge and asked for the knife to be taken away from the accused. There could be little doubt, continued Mr Sharp, that the prisoner took the large knife for the purpose which he ultimately carried out with another knife.

The prisoner had made several statements all admitting his guilt. When in the charge room at the Magistracy he said in answer to the charge: "Yes." Before the Magistrate he stated: "I am guilty; I killed, and again before the Court the prisoner said: "It is true; I killed with that knife." And when the prisoner had made a full statement to Lazaro Bebit, the President of the tribe.

Evidence was led.

Mr Sharp desired to put in certain documents from the Magistracy, but Mr Ferrers objected on the ground that they were incomplete. It was stated therein that the Filipino woman was cross-examined by the prisoner, whereas there was no record in the depositions.

To clear up the point His Lordship sent for Mr H. H. J. Gompertz and asked him to explain the position.

Mr Gompertz explained that the form on which the evidence was made was a printed one and that he overlooked the fact, neglecting to strike out the line referring to cross-examination.

To Mr Sharp—Prisoner was specially asked whether he wished to cross-examine the witness, but he declined.

To Mr Ferrers—In the case of every witness prisoner was asked the same question.

Mr Ferrers—Were the depositions as a whole translated to the prisoner before he made a statement at the Magistracy?

Mr Gompertz—They were not read over to the prisoner when he made a statement, but they were read to him as they were given by the witnesses.

To Mr Ferrers—When Bebit gave evidence it was translated by Mr Nolan to him; after he had finished I read out my depositions to Mr Nolan, who translated them to Bebit and he conveyed them to another.

Mr Sharp—Desired to read a statement made by him at the Coal Hospital yesterday, but Mr Ferrers objected. What could not have been produced at the Police Court was not admissible now.

Mr Sharp admitted that he could make no objection to an adjournment if the point was pressed.

Mr Ferrers pointed out that he did not desire an adjournment, but he alluded to the position which this statement placed him. Prior to the statement the right defence for the prisoner was insanity. As far as the murder of Apowan was concerned there were grounds for believing that he was out of his mind, and his subsequent conduct confirmed those grounds.

As Mr Ferrers could not controvert that His Lordship should reject the statement it was admitted. It read as follows:—Apowan went into Dangusian's bed; I saw him leave. The day after he said: "You will not go back to Suwok (his home). I was very much afraid and could not sleep. Apowan said to me it would be better for me to die first. If you are not dead you will tell the American. I did not sleep for five nights, not did Apowan. The night after the fifth night Apowan went to sleep and I struck him with a knife and afterwards escaped from the ship.

Mr Thompson gave evidence that there was nothing to show that the accused was insane. He was at the present time a man who was not generally held to be of sound mind. He had not been examined by the Chinese in the divine license. He lived to make them soundly good. To this purpose he adhered in spite of ingratitude, betrayal, desertion and unkindness. His love for men overcame all. To live for gratitude, admiration, flattery and even praise was to pave the way for meanness.

Again this week I find myself once more on the subject of the Paper Hunt, but at this season of the year it is the one entralling topic. Two Hunts ago a pony lost his life through the cruel idea of sport entertained by the Chinese. They gather together in their dirty huts to watch and laugh over mishaps, and provided these are not of a serious character, they are welcome to their fun, but the traps they set are altogether beyond the ken of sport. On this particular occasion four or five large bats were sunk into the earth. Two of them were uncovered, but the remaining three were filled with reeds. Noticing the open ones, riders never suspected there would be others hidden away, and the first unlucky fellow who galloped full tilt into one suffered the loss of his pony. The poor animal went down with a fearful straining, then there was another strain in getting

the whole five days—the evidence concerning the taking of the large bats proved that. The theory of insanity was disproved by the fact that the man's actions in hiding himself in the lighter after the crime showed that he knew what he was doing.

His Lordship said the evidence showed a deliberate and intentional killing, but as such could not be considered as manslaughter, unless it could be proven that he was irresponsible for his actions because of insanity. The killing was done as an act of revenge, intentionally, deliberately and purposely, and five days after the time of complaint. The conduct of the prisoner was such as pointed to the fact that he was in the possession of his senses.

The jury, without retiring, brought in a verdict of guilty.

His Lordship passed sentence of death on the prisoner, and the Court adjourned until 11 a.m. to-morrow.

TIMON OF ATHENS.

And His Modern Successors.

In the Union Church last evening the Wednesday lecture was delivered by Rev. O. H. Hickling on the above subject. He said that in Shakespeare's portraiture of Timon we had a well-disposed, liberal, kindly man with little discretion. He was introduced as surrounded with all the pomp and circumstance of profuse wealth.

The poet, the painter, the jeweller, awaited his appearance, the leading men of his city bowed before him; the humble looked up to him as their surest stay in need, and none departed disappointed.

"I am not of that feather to shake off."

My friend when he must nod me."

Chiefly, however, he feasted those who could and probably would invite him to return. Gifts were sent to him by people who regarded him as a gold mine, only to be responded to a hundred fold. His heart broad and gratified, swelled with a strong desire to do still more:

"Methinks I could deal Kingdoms to my friends."

And so far be weary."

To give lavishly, with little or no dis-.

cretion, to give profusely and even ostentatiously was his hobby.

"More welcome are ye to my fortunes than my fortunes to me."

He thought that all the world was of the same temper. But the time came when his wealth had waned away. Then he remembered that he had often desired to be poorer, that he might come near his friends. Friends were the most nucleus creatures living, should we not have, use for them and sounds most children on their way to school, and rather suffer the degrading annoyances, humiliations have moved elsewhere.

It is revolting to see the dirty unkempt woman, frowning over the railings bickering with the men who live on them, and with this fresh contingent in our midst, what hope can we have of an orderly or even respectable Settlement?

That Timon's fortunes now his friends can sink."

But this was not the strength of faith, it is the dependence of blind crudity. Generosity without consideration was responsible for much mischief; it had pauperized some receivers and soured some givers. If feasting and lavish display were the main link between so-called friends, its weakness would soon manifest itself. It was often a fair question, when hospitality became rivalry, whether the desire to please guests of vulgar coarseness were the real motive. Considerate, moderate hospitality gave pleasure unfeigned to both host and guest, and such like, who possessed would regard them as friends, regarded the drained courses of the fly. To commit great iniquities and pleasures and privacies to such final dependence was to bid for a rude shock in the awaking. The heart was as deceitful, deceived even itself. Jesus did not so commit Himself to men, for He knew what was in them—he wickedness in some, the treachery in others, the weakness in all. He set Himself to obey God in all respects, and so went about doing good wisely.

Timon's trust was actually overthrown. His attempts at borrowing were worse than unsuccessful, they caused his house to be besieged with clamorous creditors. He had a fit ofague succeeded by one of fever; he burst through surrounding dumb and dashed away. It was still true:

"Happier is he that has no friend to lead."

Then such that do even enemies exceed. The so-called friends whose manufactured by lavish prodigality were worthless. Timon's stoward said:

"Ah, when the means are gone, that buy this praise."

The breadth is gone whereof this praise is made.

Sycophants always

"Shut their doors against a setting sun, and all should reckon round, we

finally came to an agreement, and I went for a stroll. On my return home, palms and daisies and all sorts of pretty things nodded to me, and pleased with the quick work, I gave the men more than the stipulated price, and yet the following day that particular gardener turned up with all his paraphernalia and denied all knowledge of the other men. They had simply listened to our arguments, remembered the price agreed upon, fetched some plants from somewhere or other and stuck them in, and I had to pay for two lots. My only consolation is that we have a sort of miniature palm forest in a little plot of ground you can almost stretch your arms across, because the proper man would insist on planting his supply as well.

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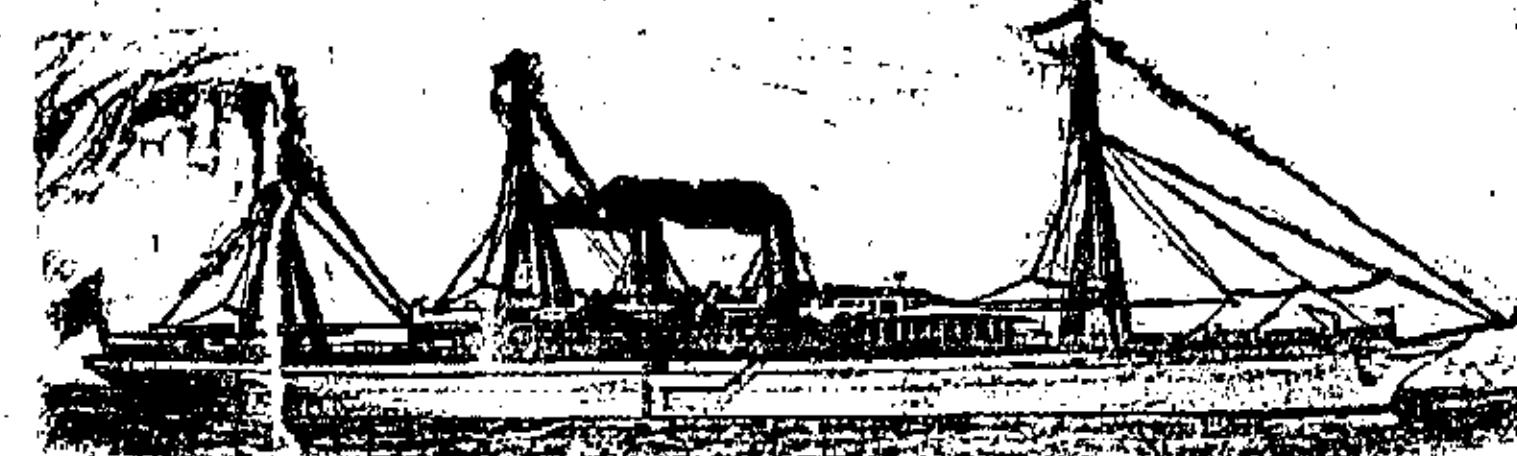
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Hatching, British steamer, 1,287, A. E. Hodges, Swatow January 18, General.

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Tremont American str., 9,600, T. W. Garlick, Manila Jan. 17, General.

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Reina, British str., 3,490, J. B. Ferguson, Singapore January 13, General.

P. & O. S. N. Co.

Geier, German cruiser, 1,776, Strodtzitz, from Amoy.

Kamur, Norwegian str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

January 18.

Roan, for Europe, &c.

Zieden, for Shanghai.

Aprenate, for Hohnein.

Lokang, for Canton.

Orange, for Bangkok.

Nepine, for Saoo.

Linen, for Canton.

Duncorn, for Shanghai.

Hector, for Singapore and London.

Rosky, for Morom.

Marie, for Moi.

Petahkuri, for Bangkok.

Thema, for Kobe.

Tsinan, for Yokohama.

Foochow, for Wuhan.

CLEARED.

Kamur, for Kobe.

Germania, for Bangkok.

Signal, for Swatow.

Hinsang, for Hongay.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

For Zieden, from Bremen, &c., Mr. and Mrs. Adams and child, Mr. August Aver.

Mr. Montague Busch, Mrs. M. A. Busch.

Mr. Antonio M. Biscetti, Mr. Wilhelm Borchert, Mr. Burchard G. Bauer, Mr. Fr. Bramann, Mrs. Caroline B. Bullock.

Miss M. B. Day, Miss K. Day, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bowler, Mr. C. Buddingh, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ulrich, Mr. W. Borchmann, Mr. J. H. Backhouse, Miss Gerttuze Cozad.

Miss E. A. Cockburn-Hughes, Mr. G. Craig.

Mr. G. E. Davis, Mr. E. E. Dele, Mr. and Mrs. D. Earsdorff and child, Lieut. and Mrs. P. Earton, Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. Charles Edwin, Prof. Dr. and Mrs. Forster, Mrs. C. M. Gowland and child, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Haines, Miss E. Acland Hood, Messrs. Willy Gunzel, Max Goebel, G. E. Griffin, Holder, Erich von Holtz, H. G. Henderson, M. Ichiku, and L. Jadiot, Miss O. G. Koompels, Mrs. A. Kuritzhause, Messer F. L. Klupf, J. H. Krause, Charles Kitson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Levy, Messrs. Graf Lutichau, Joscelyn A. Lechmere, Gino Lazara, Mr. and Mrs. Middendorff, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mieseler, Mr. Hart Meierhau, Mr. C. Mongol, Mr. M. J. N. Neuland, Miss Palfrey, Miss von Pfugl, Mr. and Mrs. Peter, Miss M. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Reumken, Mr. von Rothenberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Reuter, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Robertson and child, Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan, Mr. Frank, Mr. Bonken, Prinz Leopold, Mr. L. St. Dr. Schubert, Mr. and Mrs. J. Schmidt and child, Mr. Arthur Steckmann, Mr. and Mrs. Strasse, Miss E. L. Schoedeling, Miss A. M. L. Sanderson, Messrs. H. D. Sanderson, Alexander Sempl, Walter Stumpf, Mr. L. Treml, Mr. Friedrich Topfer, Miss Wilkinson, Mrs. Wolster and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Willems, Mr. Heinrich Wimmer, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Woudens.

Per Hatching, from Swatow, Mrs. Hyde, Rev. Father Lopertes, and 50 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Hatching reports:

From Swatow January 18th, fine weather,

calm and light winds, S.Wly winds,

hazy and foggy early morning.

The German steamer Zieten reports:

Left Southampton Dec. 9th, Antwerp 13th,

and Singapore Jan. 14th. During the voyage in the North Sea and English Channel, light variable winds in the North Atlantic, strong Westerly winds, with most squally weather and a rough sea. In the Mediterranean Sea and the North part of the Red Sea, the weather was fine, the wind light and changeable, whereas in the South part of the Red Sea strong S.W. winds, with rough seas were prevailing. In the Avarian Sea and the Indian Ocean, had moderate N.E. monsoon, fine clear weather and moderate sea, but a strong current to the Westward. From Singapore to Hongkong, very fine weather, with a light N.E. monsoon.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Mails will close:

For MACAO.

Per Wingchau, at 7.30 a.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For CANTON.

Per Hawon, at 7.30 a.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For QUONG-CHOW-WAN, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG.

Per Hongkong, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA & TACOMA.

Per Tremont, at 11 a.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For SHANGHAI.

Per Andover, at noon, on Friday, the 20th January.

For BANGKOK.

Per Brindille, at 1 p.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For CHINKIANG.

Per Lydia, at 2 p.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For SINGAPORE.

Per Amria, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For SWATOW & BANGKOK.

Per Andover, at 6 p.m., on Friday, the 20th January.

For MANILA.

Per Zafiro, at 8 a.m., on Saturday, the 21st January.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Per Hatching, at 1 p.m., on Saturday, the 21st January.

For SHANGHAI.

Per Tienton, at 3 p.m., on Saturday, the 21st January.

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL.

Per M. Siray, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 21st January.

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